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TRI CITY BRIDGE

What's New

Board meetings

are usually held monthly and the board met briefly impromptu after the bridge session on June 18th to approve the purchase of four additional bridgemates and to discuss possible participation in the ACBL Summer Instant Matchpoint Game to be held Monday, July 8th, an opportunity to earn gold points.

At the next bridge session on the 20th, George determined by a show of hands that sixteen club members would like to participate in this activity.

The Board met on June 27th and set dates for the next LBID classes, determined that Beginner lessons would resume late July and be held the hour prior to regular bridge sessions, and agreed to pursue the purchase of a card dealer at a future date.

Learn Bridge In A Day

The next LBID sessions will start October 19th and continue for the following four Saturdays ending on November 9th.

Bulletin Board

Another addition is a bulletin board for posting any and all information pertinent to the club, including significant scores and events such as tournaments. Check it out!

Online presence

Several months ago the board voted to create a web site for the club; watch for more on that coming soon.

Bill Waddle



was born in Modesto, California and grew up an only child in Visalia, a San Joaquin valley town known as the Gateway to the Sequoias.

He ran track, played football and participated in 4H. He joined 4H at the age of 10 and obtained a loan on his own at the ripe age of 12 to purchase his first calf. In 1959, as a Freshman at UC Davis, he won the National 4H Beef project award along with a scholarship, at the National 4H Club Congress held in Chicago.

After ROTC in college, he accepted his commission of Second Lieutenant in the USAF, met and married his wife, Sandra, and entered the Vietnam War through the skies as a Navigator in the



KC135 and later in the B52. Throughout his assignments to South East Asia and those stateside he and Sandra, mostly Sandra, raised a son, Bill and daughter, Becky.

When the war finally ended, he turned one of his pastimes into a career in the stock broker business. After about fifteen years he left that realm and pursued a third career in his collegiate field of study, as a Deputy Agricultural Commissioner for Stanislaus County and later Monterey County from which he retired to Brookings in 2003.

Retirement was short lived as he decided to offer his experience and ability in service to the community as a Curry County Commissioner in 2009. He served four years and then returned to his neglected hobbies of Duplicate Bridge, blackberry annihilation and grandparenting.

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Bill Waddle cont.

If you have any conversation with him at all you learn fairly quickly of his current relatively recent renewed passion for breeding cattle to produce excellent club calves. He even has pictures of his latest darlings. Just ask, no you don't have to, he'll voluntarily offer.

Quack, Quack

Speaking of photos, the one he chose for this brief bio is only 52 years old.

Board:

George Kuppler, President Jack Grasham, Vice President Valerie Albi, Secretary/ Treasurer Steve Carter, and Sandra Waddle, Members at Large

Your Newsletter

If you have suggestions or ideas on content or format, please submit to any of the Board members or your editor, Sandra Waddle.

Tri City Bridge - July Calendar		
Date	Event	Time
Tuesday, July 2, 2019	Unit game	Noon
Thursday, July 4, 2019	*	Noon
Monday, July 8, 2019	Beginners' game & IMG	1:45 & Noon
Tuesday, July 9, 2019	*	Noon
Thursday, July 11, 2019	*	Noon
Tuesday, July 16, 2019	*	Noon
Thursday, July 18, 2019	Unit game	Noon
Monday, July 22, 2019	Beginners' game	1:45
Tuesday, July 23, 2019	*	Noon
Thursday, July 25, 2019	*	Noon
* Regular game		

Yeah, good June turnout!



July Birthdays: Judi Faulstick Betty McCormick

